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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy for Operations, OSA

SUBJECT: Information Concerning the IDEALIST Program

The following information is furnished per your request:

a. Last China overflight:

- (1) Mission: C058C
- (2) Date: 16 March 1968
- (3) Area: Southwest China
- (4) Launch Base: [REDACTED]
- (5) Pilot: [REDACTED]

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b. Last overflight:

- (1) Mission: S028E
- (2) Date: 3 April 1968
- (3) Area: Cambodian Border
- (4) Launch Base: [REDACTED]
- (5) Pilot: [REDACTED]

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c. Last [REDACTED]

- (1) Date: 21 June 1969
- (2) Period: Approximately seven days.
- (3) Reason: [REDACTED]

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(4) Authority: [REDACTED]

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d. Last [REDACTED]

(1) Date: 22 April 1969

(2) Period: Temporary/no time frame indicated.
Next mission alerted for 7 May 1969.

(3) Reason: EC-121 incident.

(4) Authority: State Department

(5) In addition, the State Department directed that IDEALIST missions not be executed during the period 25 July thru 5 August 1969 due to political considerations.

e. China coastal missions (20 NM out):

(1) 1968: 8

(2) 1969: 3

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Chief, IDEALIST Division, OSA

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